

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

ELORA ELMER, c/o C.R.F.,
Plaintiff,
v.
COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL
Defendant.

Case No. 1:22-cv-01045-SAB

**ORDER DENYING APPLICATION TO
PROCEED *IN FORMA PAUPERIS*
WITHOUT PREJUDICE AND REQUIRING
PLAINTIFF TO FILE LONG FORM
APPLICATION**

Plaintiff Elora Elmer filed a complaint on August 18, 2022, challenging a final decision of the Commissioner of Social Security denying an application for disability benefits. (ECF No. 1.) Plaintiff did not pay the filing fee in this action and instead filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915. (ECF No. 2.) However, the Court cannot determine from the information provided in the application if Plaintiff is entitled to proceed in this action without prepayment of fees.

Accordingly, the Court will order Plaintiff to complete and file an Application to Proceed in District Court Without Prepaying Fees or Costs (Long Form) – AO 239. If Plaintiff is unwilling to complete and submit the long form application, Plaintiff must pay the filing fee in full.

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1 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (ECF No. 2) is DENIED
3 without prejudice;

4 2. The Clerk of the Court is directed to forward an *in forma pauperis* application
5 (Long Form) to Plaintiff;

6 3. Not later than **September 19, 2022**, Plaintiff shall either (1) pay the \$402.00
7 filing fee for this action, or (2) file a long form application to proceed *in forma*
8 *pauperis* without prepayment of the fee; and

9 4. If Plaintiff fails to comply with this order, this action shall be dismissed.

10 IT IS SO ORDERED.

11 Dated: August 22, 2022



UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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